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Ms. Wyllie,

On August 20, 2020, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) received from the Governor of the State of Florida a complete program submission for regulating discharges of dredged or fill material into waters within the jurisdiction of the State in accordance with the CWA. The EPA has determined that approval of a state CWA Section 404 program is a federal undertaking as defined under the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA) and is seeking comment under Section 106 of the NHPA. On September 8, 2020, we sent you email notice inviting your comment on the EPA's decision to approve or disapprove Florida's request. The EPA would appreciate your organization's perspective on this undertaking, and we are sending this message as a reminder to encourage you to provide comments.

At this link <https://beta.regulations.gov/docket/EPA-HQ-OW-2018-0640> is a copy of Florida's submittal, which includes the following components: a letter from Governor Ron DeSantis requesting program approval; a complete program description; Florida DEP General Counsel Justin G. Wolfe's statement; a Memorandum of Agreement with the EPA Regional Administrator; a Memorandum of Agreement with the Secretary of the Army; and copies of all applicable Florida statutes and regulations, including those governing applicable Florida administrative procedures.

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